PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

JOHN J. JOHNSON, IV

Serial No.

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Filed:

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For:

EMERGENCY RESPONSE VEHICLE

Examiner:

MORRIS, L.

Group Art Unit: 3752

AMENDMENT

Box: Non-Fee Amendments Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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In response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2002, please amend the above-identified application in accordance with the following instructions:

In the Claims:

27. (Amended) A fire-fighting emergency response vehicle, said vehicle comprising a wedge-shaped nose, wherein said wedge-shaped nose further comprises a top surface, a bottom surface, and at least two side surfaces and wherein said top, bottom, and at least two side surfaces are angled to comprise said wedge-shaped hose; at least one emergency response-fluit delivery tank; and

an engine.